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Ms. Caroline DeBerry
Federal Election Commission
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division
Washington, DC 20463

Dear Ms. DeBerry,

I am writing to inform you that Bachus for Congress Committee contributed in excess of the \$1,000 limit as set forth in the 2012 Alabama Fair Campaign Practices Act (FCPA) to two local campaign committees in Alabama. Bachus for Congress contributed \$500 on 8/18/11 and \$1,000 on 10/7/11 to Tommy Joe Alexander Campaign Fund. Bachus for Congress contributed \$2,000 to Friends to Elect Dickie Drake on 10/27/11.

On November 23, 2011, it came to our attention that the 2012 Alabama Fair Campaign Practices Act limits state and local principal campaign committees from receiving more than \$1,000 from federal campaign committees. Bachus for Congress took immediate action and requested refunds of the excessive amount in order to comply with the 2012 FCPA. Friends to Elect Dickie Drake hand delivered a refund of \$1,000 on November 23, 2011. Tommy Joe Alexander Campaign Fund mailed a refund of \$500 on November 23, 2011.

These refunds will be reflected on the 2011 year end report Bachus for Congress files with the FEC.

I will also forward copies of the refund checks and supporting documentation for your records.

Please contact me at (205) 591-8680 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michele Reisner
